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SUBJECT: VISITS OF SAUDI MINISTERS

1. DURING HIS CURRENT VISIT, PRINCE TURKI HAS TOLD DEPT OFFICIALS THAT FOREIGN MINISTER PRINCE SAUD, PETROLEUM MINISTER YAMANI, AND PLANNING MINISTER NAZIR ARE TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED TO COME TO THE UNITED STATES IN APRIL AS "OFFICIAL PUBLIC SPOKESMEN" FOR SAUDI ARABIA. ALTHOUGH PRINCE TURKI MENTIONED THE VISITS IN THE CONTEXT OF CONGRESSIONAL CONSIDERATION OF THE ADMINISTRATION'S PROPOSAL TO SELL THE F-15 TO SAUDI ARABIA, IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THE THREE VISITORS WILL FOCUS THEIR APPEARANCE IN THE UNITED STATES ON THIS ISSUE.

2. WE WOULD APPRECIATE ANY INFORMATION EMBASSY CAN PROVIDE ON THE TIMING AND PROBABLE SCOPE OF THESE VISITS. VANCE

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